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Good afternoon Commissioner and Deputy,

Please find below an update regarding our current operational posture and plan in management of the support 'Freedom Convoy' demonstration at the Emerson Point of Entry (POE).

Current Status:

- Overnight protesters began to arrive at the Emerson, MB POE. At 2300hrs there were approximately 75-100 vehicles involved in a "slow roll" demonstration. Protesters have set up an Atco Trailer near the POE.
- Currently there remains approximately 6-7 farm tractors/implements with attachments (seeders etc) blocking Highway #75, 10 semi tractor highway units, approximately 20-25 pick up trucks with campers/trailers, and one atco type of shed trailer. There are approximately 100 protestors.
- RCMP on site have established a rapport with the protesters and were able to facilitate the safe passage of livestock vehicles thru the blockade
- The protestors identified **Personal Info.** of **Personal Info.** **Personal Info.** as their designated point of contact
- Specialized support services are engaged as follows: Intel – TIU, RPAS – Drone footage, Traffic Services, IBET, DLT and TSG resources
- IBET resources are discreetly monitoring the other 5 points of entry across the Manitoba / US Border
- Communications has been established with CBSA / US Border Patrol / US authorities to divert traffic to other points of entry and support extended hours of operations as necessary
- Manitoba East District management team is currently working on the development of an operational plan
- DLT's are actively engaged in continuous dialogue and discussion
- The Province of Manitoba and MIT are fully aware and engaged in ongoing operations
- Removal options of the vehicle barriers are being considered
- There continues to be an active demonstration in the City of Winnipeg in front of the

Manitoba Legislature and multiple intelligence has been received of 'slow roll' protests throughout the Province planned for this weekend

- There is a comprehensive operational planning session underway as I type this involving CROPs, FCROPs, Districts and detachments involved

Let me know if you need anything else right now.

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